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SUBJECT: DOMINICAN PARTICIPATION IN CULTURAL ACTIVITIES AT
ATLANTA OAS MEETING

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1. AT BAPTISM CEREMONY YESTERDAY, FONSEC GOMEZ BERGES
EXPLAINED TO PRESIDENT BALAGUER IN MY PRESENCE DESIRABILITY
OF SENDING CULTURAL GROUP TO ATLANTA OAS MEETING. BALAGUER
IMMEDIATELY SEIZED POSITIVE PRESTIGE IMPLICATIONS AND INQUIRED
OF ME HOW TO PROCEED. I REPLIED THAT SOME CULTURAL PRESENTA-
TIONS FROM OAS MEMBER STATES WERE FORESEEN AT ATLANTA AND THAT
I UNDERSTOOD ONE OR TWO COUNTRIES PLANNED TO SEND TYPICAL
GROUPS, BUT NO FUNDS WERE AVAILABLE TO FINANCE THE UNDERTAKING.
BALAGUER SAID THE GODR WOULD FLY A DOMINICAN CULTURAL GROUP
TO ATLANTA VIA CDA AIRCRAFT AND PAY ALL OTHER EXPENSES AS WELL.
HE SEEMED TO THINK THAT A FOLK DANCE GROUP IN ADDITION TO THE
RONDALLA CHORUS WOULD GO OVER WELL. HE INSTRUCTED GOMEZ TO
PURSUE THE MATTER. I TOLD GOMEZ THAT HOTEL SPACE WAS
EXTREMELY TIGHT IN ATLANTA AND THAT HE OUGHT TO MOVE FAST.

2. COMMENT: AT THE MOMENT, IT IS DIFFICULT TO ASCERTAIN
PRECISELY WHICH CULTURAL GROUP OR GROUPS THE GODR HAS IN MIND
OR THEIR NUMBERS. FOR PLANNING PURPOSES SUGGEST DEPT RESERVE
ROOMS FOR FORTY PEOPLE (PERHAPS TWENTY DOUBLES) UNTIL WE
OBTAIN THE DETAILS. WE SHALL GIVE THE MATTER PRIORITY
ATTENTION SINCE WE RECOGNIZE THAT MUCH PLANNING IS REQUIRED
AT YOUR END.

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